

Conclusion


In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is believed that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. If a telephone conversation with the Applicants' Attorney would expedite prosecution of the above-identified application, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned at (617) 832-1000.

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Marked-Up Version of Replacement Paragraph of Specification Showing Changes Made

On page 1, the title was amended as follows:

**Agents for the Enhanced Oxygen Delivery in Mammals], Methods and Reagents
Related Thereto]**